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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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SYNCHRONOUS HARQ RETRANSMISSION MODE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above application as follows: